

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

DECISION

Docket No. AB 55 (Sub-No. 775X)

CSX TRANSPORTATION, INC.—ABANDONMENT EXEMPTION—IN CLARK, FLOYD,
LAWRENCE, ORANGE, & WASHINGTON COUNTIES, IND

Docket No. AB 55 (Sub-No. 777X)

CSX TRANSPORTATION, INC.—ABANDONMENT
EXEMPTION—IN FULTON COUNTY, GA.

Decided: January 23, 2018

On January 19, 2018, the Board issued orders that the abandonment authority in these proceedings¹ would not become effective, pending further Board order, and that any relevant filing deadlines or Board deadlines on or after January 20, 2018, would be postponed, due to a possible lapse in appropriations for the Federal government, which would impact completion of the environmental review process in these proceedings.

While funding for the Federal government did expire, it has since been restored. Given the brevity of the lapse in appropriations, the original filing deadlines and Board deadlines for these proceedings remain appropriate and will be reinstated. The exemption in Docket No. AB 55 (Sub-No. 775X) will become effective on February 7, 2018. The exemption in Docket No. AB 55 (Sub-No. 777X) will become effective on February 8, 2018.

It is ordered:

1. In Docket No. AB 55 (Sub-No. 775X), the deadlines established in the notice served and published on January 8, 2018 remain effective, and the effective date of the exemption is February 7, 2018.

2. In Docket No. AB 55 (Sub-No. 777X), the deadlines established in the notice served and published on January 9, 2018 remain effective, and the effective date of the exemption is February 8, 2018.

¹ These proceedings are not consolidated. A single decision is being issued for administrative convenience.

3. This decision is effective on its service date.

By the Board, Scott M. Zimmerman, Acting Director, Office of Proceedings.